

TABLE 20

**RATES¹ OF DEATH FROM INJURIES AMONG PERSONS 19 OR LESS
YEARS OLD BY TYPE OF INJURY, AGE GROUP AND
ETHNICITY, ARIZONA 1997**

AGE GROUP/INJURY TYPE	ETHNICITY:*				
	WHITE ²	HISPANIC	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN	ALL ETHNIC GROUPS
UNDER 1, all injury deaths:	42.2	10.7	161.0	75.9	38.4
UNINTENTIONAL	26.4	7.2	161.0	37.9	23.8
HOMICIDE	7.9	3.6	---	37.9	7.9
UNKNOWN INTENT	7.9	---	---	---	4.0
1-14 YEARS, all injury deaths:	16.5	16.0	26.1	23.1	18.4
UNINTENTIONAL	13.5	13.6	26.1	20.8	15.0
HOMICIDE	0.7	1.4	---	1.2	1.3
SUICIDE	1.4	0.3	---	1.2	0.7
UNKNOWN INTENT	0.5	0.7	---	---	0.6
15-19 YEARS, all injury deaths:	61.4	88.5	112.2	160.4	80.0
UNINTENTIONAL	30.4	28.4	21.0	97.8	35.7
HOMICIDE	7.6	32.8	63.1	23.5	23.7
SUICIDE	19.3	26.2	21.0	39.1	19.0
UNKNOWN INTENT	1.0	1.1	7.0	---	1.6

¹ The number of deaths from injuries (unintentional injuries + injuries in homicide and suicide+unknown intent) per 100,000 in specified group per year.

² Not of Hispanic origin.

* The rates for Asian and Pacific Islanders do not meet standards of reliability and precision. There were 4 injury deaths among Asians 19 or younger in Arizona in 1997.

Note: Number of births was used as the denominator for death rate calculation among infants.